Overseas sale of railway rolling stock

4405. SHRI KARNENDU BHATTACHARJEE : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Railways have decided to sell rolling stock in the overseas markets;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether any market survey has been carried out. identifying the potential markets; if so, the details thereof; and

(d) what steps are being taken to ensure that exports of rolling stock do not affect the domestic supply position ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL): (a) Yes,Sir.

(b) Ministry of Railways have identified Export of Rolling Stock as one of the thrust areas. This acquires more importance today when we have adequate surplus capacity available in our production units after meeting the internal demand.

(c) Yes, Sir. South East Asian and African countries have been identified as the potential market for export of rolling stock.

(d) Instructions have been given to the production units to first meet the domestic requirement before giving any offer for export. Thus, spare capacity available in production units is being only utilized for manufacture of rolling stock for export purpose.

Non-functioning of CCTV at Jammu Railway Station

4406. PROF. A. LAKSHMISAGAR :

SHRI H K. JAVARE GOWDA:

SHRI C. RAMACHANDRAIAH:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the militants' attack and massacre at Jammu Railway Station on 7th August, 2001, indicating, *inter-alia,* the number of persons killed, wounded and value of the property damaged;